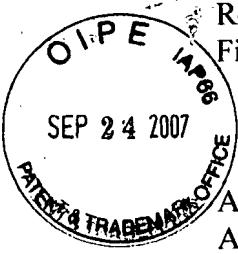


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Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of August 14, 2007, please enter the following amendments to the claims as set forth below. No changes to the preliminary amendment filed March 24, 2004 have been made, except that the status identifiers have been amended to reflect the Examiner's requirements that they be changed. The undersigned respectfully disagrees with the examiner's contention that the Amendment was non-compliant, as the applicant had submitted amendments to group II, claims 23-28 and 32, to recite dependency from the system recited in claim 9. No new matter was added thereby, as claim 9 previously recited a "graphical user interface" and all of the limitations of each of the currently amended claims are previously recited features of that same "graphical user interface."

Accordingly, the basis for the Examiner's restriction was thereby been rendered moot, and all of the applicant's claims should have been examined. Regardless of the forgoing, the applicant reiterates the previous election group I, claims 1-22, 29, 30, and 31 with traverse, and has changed the status identifier for claims 23-28 and 32 to "Withdrawn – Currently Amended."

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.